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Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**Re: NEW U.S. PATENT APPLICATION**  
**INVENTOR: Patrice CLAVIEZ-HOMBERG**  
**TITLE: "METHOD FOR CHECKING THE USE OF A SYSTEM**  
**FOR TRANSMITTING INFORMATION SUBMITTED IN THE**  
**FORM OF MATRIX CODES" DOCKET NO. DATA-B0012**

Sir:

In regard to the subject application, attached hereto are the following papers:

Specification, claims and abstract  
Declaration and power of attorney  
Two (2) sheets informal drawings  
Verified statement-small business  
Assignment with cover letter  
Self addressed stamped postcard for serial number

Priority is based on French application No. 00 15458 filed on 24th November, 2000.  
The priority document will be filed as soon as it has been received.

**Please charge the filing fee, assignment recordation fee and any other necessary fees  
to Deposit Account No. 04-1675. A duplicate copy of this letter is attached hereto.**

Respectfully submitted,

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